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## ROYALTY WEDS

Marriage of the Duke of York and  
Princess of Teck.

An Event in Which All Europe Is  
Closely Interested.

THE PROGRESSION WITNESSED BY SIX  
MILLIONS OF SPECTATORS.

"Happy Is the Bride Whom the Sun  
Shines on" and the Day Was a Beautiful  
One—An Occasion of National Rejoicing and a British Holiday—Route  
of the Bridal Procession—The Coronation at St. James Palace Chapel—  
Sketch of the Pair.

LONDON, July 5.—The marriage of the Duke of York, Prince George of Wales, and Princess Victoria Mary of Teck, an event to which all England has been looking forward, did in fact, take place at 10 o'clock to-day in the Chapel Royal, St. James Palace. The wedding was a brilliant function and was attended by a large gathering of the members of the British royal family, continental sovereigns or their representatives, and many members of the highest nobility. The weather was beautiful, and if there is any truth in the old proverb, "Happy is the bride whom the sun shines on," the new Duchess of York will be exceedingly happy, for a more splendid day has seldom been seen in London. The occasion was made one of national rejoicing and a partial British holiday.

### THE BRIDAL ROUTE.

Great crowds of people gathered many deep along the line of the route, from Buckingham Palace to the Constitution Hall, through Marlborough St., St. James' street, and Marlborough Gate to the garden entrance to St. James Palace, which is situated on the north side of the mall. The decorations along the line of the royal procession were profuse and beautiful. The roadway was kept open by the household troops in their glittering uniforms, by detachments drawn from the military depots, by the Metropolitan volunteers and militia, by Middlesex Yeomanry and by the police. The scene was full of life, and movement, and the ceremony eclipsed in pomp and splendor any recent state ceremonial in connection with the British court.

### THE ROYAL PROCESSION.

The royal party left Buckingham Palace in four processions, the first conveying the members of the household and distinguished guests. The next procession included the Duke of York and his supporters, the Prince of Wales and the Duke of Edinburgh. The bride came in the third procession, accompanied by her father, the Duke of Teck, and her brother, Prince Adolphus of Teck. The last procession was that of the Queen, who, accompanied by the Duchess of Teck, her younger sons and the Grand Duke of Hesse, drove in state to the ceremonial. Each procession was accompanied by a line of guards escort, and in addition to this the Queen had an escort of Indian, native and Australian horses. Her majesty rode in the handsome glass coach used at the opening of Parliament and on other special occasions. The body of the carriage, which is of Irish manufacture, having been built in Dublin, is painted a dark red color, and its richly gilt panels are adorned with the royal arms. The roof is surmounted by a crown and bordered with a wreath of gilt roses, thistles and Shamrocks. The cheering as the royal carriage drove forward was immense.

### AT THE CHAPEL.

The members of the royal family and guests on alighting at St. James Palace, walked in the State apartments and subsequently down the long corridor across to the Col. Court Colonnade to the seats reserved for them in the chapel. Her majesty alighted in the Ambassador's Court under a specially erected canopy over the glass doors of the passage leading to the chapel. Thence she walked to the haut pas at the north end of the edifice. The spot was beautifully adorned with palms and flowers from the royal conservatory, and carpeted with crimson. Upon the same platform seats were provided for the Prince and Princess of Wales, the bride and bridegroom and the other members of the family and guests from abroad. The members of the diplomatic body, including the members of the United States embassy and the other invited guests, occupied special seats in the body of the chapel and in the royal and east galleries. Drawing-room dresses were worn by the ladies, and the gentlemen appearing in full livered dress.

### BEFORE THE CEREMONY.

The marriage ceremony opened with the procession of the clergy into the chapel. This consisted of the Archbishop of Canterbury, the Bishop of London, the Dean of the Chapel Royal, the Sub-Dean, the Bishop of Rochester, the Hon. and Rev. E. Carr Glyn, Vicar of Kensington, Canon Hervey, Domestic Chaplain to the Prince of Wales, and Canon Dalton, Hon. Chaplain to the Duke of York. Handel's March from the "Occasional Overture" was played by the organist as the procession came forward. While the Archbishop and clergy were taking their places the music of the march in "Siciliano" came from the organ and immediately the front of the second procession, including the royal family and royal guests, came in sight. The members of it were conducted to their seats as they entered. As the Queen's procession, which included the Queen's Guards, Duke of Hesse, walked up the aisle Sir Arthur Sullivan's "Imperial March" was played. A march composed on "G" by Smart, was played during the progress of the bridegroom's procession to the communion and as the bride and her supporters passed up the aisle to the altar the organist played Wagner's March from "Lohengrin."

### WHAT THE BRIDE WORE.

The bride wore the veil which was worn by her mother on the occasion of her own marriage. Her wedding dress was a simple, but graceful, perfect harmony, with the bridesmaids' gowns were made with low bodices and neither hats, wraps nor veils were worn, only a simple rose in the hair. The bridesmaids were the Princesses Connaught, Princess Margaret and Victoria of Schleswig-Holstein and Princess Eugenie.

### THE CEREMONY.

The Archbishop of Canterbury assisted by the other clergy performed the ceremony the bride being given away by her father. The magnificent gilt sacramental plate

the central piece of which is said to have been manufactured upon the reign of Charles II, and is valued at \$50,000, was displayed upon the altar. The service began with the singing of the "Te Deum" and "Benedic, Dom" and the "Te Deum" and the "Benedic, Dom" in the Latin style. In the name of the service Sir Joseph B. Arnaby's "O Perfect Love," a chorale sung at the Chapel Royal, was given. The service concluded with the hymn "Now Thank We Our God" and the "Amen." The organ, which was played as the royal party left the chapel, the usual procession of the bride and bridegroom, leading to the door of the church, the Hungarian Countess de Rivedy, who at the time of her marriage was a great Countess of Hungary, and the King of Wurtemberg. Up to the date of her union with the Duke of Teck, the Duke served in the Austrian Army as an officer of hussars under the name of Count Francis von Hohenlohe, and it is said that he left a brilliant military and war record in military cir-

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## EL RAYO'S OWNER.

Washington Park Officials Think Him Worth Investigating.

THE STEWARDS WILL LOOK INTO REVOLVER'S IN-AND-OUT RUNNING.

B. C. Hally Finds That Chicago Is Not as Easy as St. Louis—Track and Stable Gossip—The Chamberlain Charges—East Fall Gossip—Athletics—General Sporting News.

Judge Burke and the Stewards at Washington Park have inaugurated an investigation of the running of the California horse, Revolver, which won at the big Chicago track the other day at 30 to 1. The horse was heavily backed at this fancy price by his owner, B. C. Hally, of Chicago, Ill. According to reports there are several suspicious circumstances connected with the running of Revolver, which the authorities of the aristocratic "Windy City" course consider requires thorough probing. Hally is well known to the local turfites as the owner of El Rayo, the horse that ran third in the Club Members' handicap and shortly after this performance, at 1 to 10, was defeated by the Lakeland Stable's plater, El Kendig, for a selling stake. At the time, it will be remembered, the Post-Dispatch called attention to certain masters in connection with the race which demanded investigation.

The matter, however, was never looked into officially, but Judge Burke evidently did not forget the occurrence and reported Hally to the Washington Park stewards at the first sign of "quiet" work on the California part. Todays' well known to the local turfites had the mount on Revolver the day he won. The inconsistent performing of the horse previous to his victory, however, is what is being investigated, so Tod is in no danger in connection with the master. It looks as if, when he was given the mount on the horse, Hally was ready to win, and had his money, and lots of it, down.

Hally has a cracking good stable including, as it does, El Rayo, a horse that can win almost anywhere, Francesca, Revolver and other good ones, and if his happens to be severely set down upon in the present master, it will be a costly affair for him. Clancy, who rides most of his horses, was one of the best boys seen in the saddle at the recent Fair Grounds.

The fact that the Washington Park Club think the Californian's method of racing worthy of investigation should prick the consciences of the St. Louis Jockey Club officials, who, in the face of a strong public sentiment and in the light of strong evidence furnished them by the paper, ignored the most openly crooked race that was ever run on the Fair Grounds track.

THACK AND STABLE GOSPI.

The California horse Wildwood set all records for one mile and seventy yards aside in the first race at Washington Park yesterday by running that distance in 1:44. He was the favorite for the race, but it was only by the most desperate kind of riding that Taral landed him first at the wire. Sweet Blossom set the pace and led until well into the stretch, when Loudon came to the front. At the furlong post, Taral was a head behind, but he closed well, and "Taral worked like a demon" to catch up, and the two finished in a dead heat, much to every one's surprise. It turned out afterwards that three players, Duffy, Duryea and Wildwood, had been running in the race to the wire, the morning game. The fact of the matter is that Chamberlain proved conclusively that he was not in collusion with the others, but that he was in a position to work at the bat. The man cannot help himself working poorly, but he can make errors and refuse to bat the ball if he is bent on crooked work.

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Sensational Story From Cincinnati Whch.

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Somebody in Cincinnati has been hitting the pipe. From his cloudy vision a sensational story has been evolved to the effect that Eaton Chamberlain attempted to throw the July 4 morning game to Philadelphia because a friend of his named Billie had bet heavily against the home team. There is not the slightest foundation of proof to support the story. Chamberlain's actions on the field will be the argument in the pitch, and the fact that he is not argumentative will be the argument in the other direction. Eaton Chamberlain pitched a miserable game here Tuesday morning, but was in magnificent form in the afternoon, and the game was won. The fact of the matter is that Chamberlain proved conclusively that he was not in collusion with the others, but that he was in a position to work at the bat. The man cannot help himself working poorly, but he can make errors and refuse to bat the ball if he is bent on crooked work.

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## AMUSEMENTS TO-NIGHT.

URBAN'S CAFE—"America," SCHNAKE'S GARDEN—"The Musketeers."

Showers have occurred in North Illinois, Iowa, Wisconsin and Michigan. In some cases the thunderstorms were quite severe.

Throughout the Mississippi Valley there has been a perceptible rise in temperature, and to-day will be warmer in this vicinity than yesterday. In fact, conditions are not favorable for lower temperatures immediately.

Forecast till 8 p.m. Friday for Missouri: Local thunderstorms; fair to clearing weather, except fair weather in southern portion; southerly shifting to westerly winds.

Forcast for St. Louis for thirty-six hours, beginning 8 a.m. to-day: Generally fair, nearly stationary temperature.

EX-PRESIDENT HARRISON: Don't talk; don't write; "play" low.

WHO would be Mayor when he can be a garbage contractor with a cinch?

MEXICO is talking of an income tax, too. Every republic should have one.

Ex-President Harrison had a team of wild horses he would try to break them to his ice wagon.

St. Louis will be robbed until Butler's cinch is broken in every department of the city government.

IS THE great ship Silver so near the East Indian Camperdown that the double standard maneuver will be impossible in August?

THE official who plays into the hands of the Butler gang is a traitor to his trust and an accomplice of municipal plunders.

MORE money is wanted for the Plass fund. Help this most practical of all charities with a contribution according to your means.

THE babies at the Plass home are thriving under the fresh-air-good-food treatment. Will you help others to take the same treatment?

PERHAPS if Russell Sage were consulted he would lend his aid in drawing up a satisfactory substitute for Financier Sherman's disastrous measure.

If the views of one section were the same as those of every other section, what a gloriously united country we should have, and how the eagle would scream.

THE present financial system is perfectly satisfactory to men like Russell Sage, and they will welcome any additional element of uncertainty which may be enacted by Congress.

LET no young M. D. despair. As the new South Carolina law permits druggists to sell liquor on prescriptions, there is likely to be work down there for the entire output of the medical colleges of the country.

THE Camperdown's band played gallantly when their battle-ship arrived at Malta. These musicians ought not to be confined to a man-of-war. They should be allowed to traverse the Empire, dispelling gloom and assuaging grief.

It is greatly to be regretted that Mr. Gould passed from among us so untimely. In the preparation of a substitute for the silver law given us by Mr. Sherman the advice of that lamented financier would have been invaluable.

BUZZARD'S BAY is a good summer resort, but there are places in the West which would do President Cleveland quite as much good if he would only come out. The air is very fresh on the prairies. It is full of ozone and inspiration.

THE Bell Telephone Co. has paid the father of John Falen \$450 for killing his boy. At this rate life is cheap, very cheap—so cheap that the company can better afford to put a large number of little boys under ground than bury the wires.

AMERICAN public opinion is being prepared for an application of the Russian extradition treaty by the manufacturer of dynamite stories and fairy tales about attempts upon the life of Siberia's Governor. These stories will be taken by the American public for what they are worth and will not make the treaty any more palatable.

table. The Russian authorities deceive themselves if they expect to corrupt the common sense of the United States by cards of this sort.

MCKINLEY has been indorsed as a presidential candidate for 1896 by a county Republican convention of Kansas. Better wait until after election. A man who can't carry his own State is not likely to carry the country, and it's doubtful if McKinley can win in Ohio this year.

PRESIDENT MONTGOMERY CHILL "regarded the national holiday as an auspicious time for the renewal of the friendship between the United States and the Republic of the North," which was equivalent to saying that the "renewal" had not taken place before because Pat Egan was Minister.

THE Duke of York promises to-day to love and protect the Princess May, while the young woman in turn agrees to love, honor and obey the Duke. But these exchanges are purely Pickwickian. The words are an ancient form used in contracts of so-called marriages between people of royal birth. The Duke will exercise the right claimed by all royal princes to love any woman he pleases, while his wife will nurse her sorrow and loneliness as her Danish mother-in-law has done.

THE contradiction of the report that King George had abdicated and that Greece would be a kingdom to be regretted, because our "famous crank and false prophet" had predicted in 1888 that not later than 1891 Greece would be a red republic, with King George dethroned.

As the prediction did not work in the years named we raised the date to '98, and if King George had come down it would have been a great hit for the prophet. The year, however, is only a little more than half gone and events may knock out the monarchy in time to save our prophet's reputation.

## BREAK BUTLER'S CINCH.

The garbage predicament has turned out just as the POST-DISPATCH said it would. Boss Butler has the city in his power and can force it to accept his own terms.

When the House of Delegates suddenly changed its mind and passed the Council garbage bill it was suggested that the situation was about as satisfactory to Mr. Butler as the continuance of the work under the old ordinance would have been. The House had kindly upheld the bill until there was no chance for the city to make any arrangement without falling temporarily into the clutches of Butler. The advantage he takes of his monopoly opportunity is shown by his outrageous proposition to charge the city \$500 a day for collecting the garbage. There is no reason to think that he will be any less grasping in making a contract for a term of years than for a few months, if the power is left in his hands.

The fault is with heedless and neglectful city officials and a subservient House of Delegates. Butler is only using an opportunity which the carelessness of officials and his pull on city legislators brought to his hand. But the present administration should show its worth by reducing the disastrous results of Butler's advantage to a minimum.

Preparations should be made for garbage collection under municipal supervision. It is better to suffer from an excess of oppressive taxation for a short time in order to secure a permanent and good conclusion than to be "squeezed" for years with little prospect of having the work properly done.

## AS TO CHILDREN.

Secretary Hove Smith made an excellent talk at Asbury Park on the care and education of children. He said that children should have the personal attention of parents. He scolded fathers and mothers who permitted business or society to so occupy their time and attention that they had no opportunity to become acquainted with their offspring. He said it should be the first and highest care of parents to see to the development and education of those for whose coming into the world they are responsible and whose futures depend so much upon them.

This anxiety of the English concerning our new revenue policy ought to be very suggestive to the timid souls who fear to adopt a thorough programme. They would not worry so much unless they knew that the abolition of restrictions on American trade would be attended with serious consequences to them. Their prosperity is largely artificial, depending upon the circumstances noted, and when the circumstances are changed it will be reduced to its natural proportion. England will then depend altogether upon her own energy and resources, not as now, so much upon the stupidity of her American cousins. Those who fear a radical reform and extensive reduction in the tariff duties should not forget that their chief competitors hope that they will let the tariff down to a few more specimens of the young of the human species found within her borders with the finest fruits of refined intellectuality, but hers is a bad example for other States to follow. The high education of children there is obtained at too great a loss to the population of the country.

"First catch your hare" is sound advice in preparing a toothsome hare stew for dinner, and its equivalent is just as sound in the matter of preparing children to become the future mainstays of the country. Secretary Smith should not have forgotten it when telling the Asbury Park people

how to make good men and women, and especially when he pointed to Massachusetts as an example.

## TELEPHONE WIRES NOT DANGEROUS.

The verdict in the Falen case is that the boy came to his death through an electric shock from a Bell telephone wire which had failed during a storm.

The officers of the Bell company have always contended that there was no pain or death in a telephone wire, that so far as danger was concerned the wires were perfectly innocuous when strung on poles. This may be accepted as true when they are not charged with a deadly electric current. "Dead wires" are never deadly, and it may be true too that the current used for telephone purposes is not strong enough to kill. But when one of these wires receives a charge from one of its electric light neighbors on the same pole it becomes dangerous and kills babies who chance to touch it. And when it is allowed to drag on the ground for hours it is likely to kill several babies. All this is practically admitted by the telephone people through the testimony of their superintendent and by the payment of a sum of money to the Falen family. Hence we may conclude that the Bell claim that telephone wires are not dangerous is meant to apply only when there is no electricity in them.

All these accidents, said to be "rare," by the wire companies, are due to the overhead system. They constitute the strongest argument for the underground plan and as they are growing less rare every week we may expect the appearance of a public sentiment which the companies will be put under ground by order of the city government and no injustice need be done to anybody. Human life is more sacred than monopoly profits and no wrong will be done if some of these profits are sacrificed in the interest of the public safety.

## SOUND POLICE MAXIMS.

Inspector Williams of New York has been in the Metropolitan police force for about twenty-seven years, and a brief speech he delivered at the opening of a new station shows that he has garnered wisdom from experience. We quote some of the choicest of the terse and excellent maxims he gave to his men, which were culled from his address by the WORLD:

A gentleman at all times, serve the people. Treat strangers in the city especially well. Never make a personal matter of an arrest. Never use force unless absolutely necessary. When you have an arrest to make, make it. The man that does not drink is better off than the most moderate drinker. The brains that God gave you are never improved by alcohol, and you must be clear-headed at all times. Be brave; remember that you are one of "the finest," and work to make its reputation even higher. Listen to everybody's story, and do your best to right their grievances. Make no distinction between the man from First avenue and the man from Fifth avenue.

With a few local changes these maxims are worthy of embodiment in the police rules of this or any other city. They emphasize practically all the principles that should regulate police conduct. They should be pasted in the helmet of every patrolman with an order to read them every time he takes it off.

## THEY PROFIT BY OUR FOLLY.

British journals have sounded the warning which English manufacturers and traders have expected but dreaded to hear ever since the corn law days. They are plainly informed that when the American medieval system of tariff taxation for the purpose of restricting trade is abolished, as it soon will be, the English will have to fight for commercial supremacy, and are likely to be worsted.

A reform of the American tariff involving the abolition of its protective features has long been acknowledged by clear-headed Englishmen as an event fraught with the gravest consequences to British trade. As long as we shut ourselves up and refused to trade with anybody but ourselves England looked upon us with gratified contempt. She had nothing to fear from the policy of cowardice which we adopted, and for thirty years or more the chief source of her revenues, public and private, has been a commerce and carrying trade possible only as long as we kept out of the competition. Our folly was her opportunity and she made the most of it.

## TELEGRAMS ANNOUNCING EXPORTS OF SILVER.

It may not seem so to Mr. Croker, but Champ Clark is right. It's magnificient Missouri, the imperial State of the Mississippi Valley," great things are coming to pass, and St. Louis is the imperial city of this imperial State. The best thing a New Yorker can do is to come out here right now, bring his capital with him and \$400 business.

I am Jerry Bush will write a book telling exactly all that was done in the Department of Agriculture during his reign it would greatly add to his fame. It need not appear until after the coinage question is settled. The people will not like to have their attention drawn away from the finances while so much thinking is to be kept up on pecuniary problems.

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If China insists upon a new treaty with this nation it can probably get it, but is it not exactly clear why China should think it worth while to go through the form. It might be excused for not attaching a very high value to American treaties.

## MEN OF MARK.

SENATOR VONORENSIS is growing stout.

THERE is a bicycle club on the Island of Java and the American machines are used by its members.

GEN. NELSON A. MILES was a clerk in a Boston store and familiar with a yardstick before he took hold of a sword.

M. MARIE DE PARIS is known as the "dog barber." He daily clips from ten to thirty dogs. The price of a clip is 4 francs.

JOHN J. INGALLS says he has never taken a dollar for an address either political or literary in Kansas, and never expects to.

THE Marquis of Londonderry has the smallest pony in the world. It weighs only 16 pounds, and at its birth was but 19½ inches high.

JOHN RUSKIN received about \$140,000 from the sales of his works between 1886 and 1892. And yet we talk about the decline of taste in this age.

TO THE YALE GRADUATES Hon. Thomas Walker remarked that the pitiless sentiment he knew of was that of Hon. E. J. Phelps: "They who never make mistakes never make them."

DR. MOROMON, the historian, declares that every man who would keep abreast of the world's information must know the German, French, English and Italian languages—that must know these or he cannot know the current thought of the day.

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THE attempted assassination of M. Poblenosky by one Gringof in St. Petersburg was not only a crime against an official but it was an assault on the alphabet. Little mercy will be shown the assassin.

THE captain of the Viking ship has reached Detroit without getting drowned, though he has made one narrow escape. The police and the water are modern Vikings having a very inglorious cruise.

MEMBERS of the August Congress should not go to the Capital with any coins in their pockets. In the heat of the debate some of the mail might melt and spoil their pants.

SOUTH CAROLINA'S STATE BARS REFUSE TO SELL TO TOPERS. It is hard lies when a man with a great thirst must establish his reputation as an abstainer before he can get anything to drink.

ONLY \$100 was found in the vault of a suspended Kansas bank. It is remarkable that the discouraged cash-hand did not seize the money and go on a economical tour.

OUR benevolent republic has been in operation 117 years, in order that Russell Sage might get 75 per cent of the money he lends his fellow-citizens.

## AN UNPLEASANT FEATURE OF THE PRESENT STRINGENCY IS THE FAILURE OF ESTABLISHMENTS ENGAGED IN LEGITIMATE BUSINESS ENTERPRISES CONDUCTED ON A SOUND BASIS WITH ASSETS CONSIDERABLY IN EXCESS OF LIABILITIES. IT INDICATES AN EXCESS OF CAUTION WHICH IS UNNECESSARILY DISASTROUS TO BUSINESS INTERESTS.

CONCERNED are the young of the human species found within her borders with the finest fruits of refined intellectuality, but hers is a bad example for other States to follow. The high education of children there is obtained at too great a loss to the population of the country.

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of panic is increased with every failure. All interests are affected. Unreasonable apprehension should not be permitted to run away with sound judgment and policy.

## THE ST. CLAIR COUNTY JUDGES HAVE BEEN LIBERATED IN ORDER TO CALL A SPECIAL ELECTION TO PASS UPON A COMPROMISE PROPOSAL.

IF THE COMPROMISE IS NOT ACCEPTED THEY WILL GO BACK TO JAIL Sept. 5. But they will not be confined in the Jackson County Jail. The County Marshal is too lenient and gives them privileges not approved by the federal judges. They will go to another county where the jailer will keep them close and make them realize what a heinous crime they have committed in obeying a State law and a State court.

LIBERTY AND LAW AND ORDER ARE VERY MUCH TANGLED UP IN THIS CASE.

## SUSSEXES GIVING AN ACCOUNT OF THE KILLING OF 238 SNAKES IS LOCATED AT HADDAM.

SPEAKER CRISP HAS BEEN SUFFERING WITH THE TOOTHACHE. POSSIBLY

## MAGAZINE BLOWN UP

Struck by Lightning During a Severe Electrical Storm.

BUILDINGS DEMOLISHED AND MANY PERSONS BADLY HURT.

Two Men and Seven Women and Children Among the Wounded—Citizens Rushed Wildly From Their Houses, Thinking It an Earthquake—Stoicen Spectacle of the Injured—Casualties.

KINGSTON, N. Y., July 6.—During a terrible lightning storm that passed over this city last night Vandusen Bros.' powder magazine at Devil's Lake, a small settlement on the outskirts of the city, was struck by lightning and completely demolished. There were about fifty-five kegs of powder in the magazine and the explosion blew that brick structure to atoms, destroyed several buildings near by and injured many persons, killed and seven women and children. The terrible fire was followed by a dull roar, and many persons rushed from their houses in terror, thinking the city had been visited by an earthquake.

Antonio Prussack with his family occupied the second floor of one of the demolished buildings. He was sitting in his bedroom talking to his wife when the crash came. The walls and roof fell in and Prussack and his wife and children were seriously cut and bruised by flying bricks, glass and other debris.

John Conway with his wife and children occupied the third floor of the same house, and when the crash came was reading a paper in the kitchen, while the rest of the family were sitting in different parts of the room. They were hurried from their chairs, knocked unconscious and severely cut and bruised by falling timbers.

Another small house on a hill near the magazine was partly demolished. It was occupied by George Sewolski and his family. He and the children escaped with only a severe shaking up, but Mrs. Sewolski was badly cut by flying glass and plaster.

The nine wounded persons were carried to a saloon near by. Some of them presented a sickening spectacle as they lay on the floor covered with blood, and it was heartbreaking to hear their cries as the doctors dressed their wounds. The most severely injured of all is Mrs. Sewolski, who had a cut several inches in length across her scalp and was severely hurt internally.

Many of the telephones throughout the city were burned out during the storm and the electric light plants were also out. Businesses and residences were in total darkness. The sky along the western horizon presented a peculiar weird appearance and the flashing lightning and deafening thunder was awful in its grandeur.

The powder magazine was owned by the Schaglico Powder Co. of Buffalo and was used by Vandusen Bros., who acted as their agents in this city and vicinity.

BURNING OF THE UNION BELT.

ST. PAUL, July 6.—Last night's fire at the Union Belt on the river front, delayed in at least two hours the large number of passengers, some of whom will probably die. Mrs. Jennie Peake, aged 25 years, the Matron of the institution, a man named Shaughnessy, and three as yet unidentified persons, are dead. Lulu Morgan, the 13-year-old daughter of Capt. Morgan of the Mission, is at St. Luke's Hospital in a precarious condition, and a dozen others are severely injured.

The upper works of the boat were completely consumed, but the hull remains. An attempt was made to save the hull, but it was not made, although the possibility is that other bodies may be found. The transient character of many of those who were on board makes the identification of the dead very difficult, but just how many were lost until a thorough investigation of the burned boat has been made. The fire started in the engine room and spread rapidly, causing a loss of about \$2,000 to the boat, but the boarders lost nearly everything they had, including money.

THE MINE HORROR.

LONDON, July 6.—As yet the cause of the explosion in Ingram's colliery, Thornhill, Yorkshire, which entombed the day shift of 16 men but Tuesday, has not been learned, but it is generally believed that it was the result of a spark on the part of a miner in opening his lamp. The work of rescue is progressing as rapidly as possible. Thus far thirty-four men have been rescued, but four face all badly burned or crushed. Eight men and a boy have been rescued, but all hope for the others has been abandoned.

PULL OFF A WAGON.

RAMSEY, Ill., July 6.—Mr. J. M. Hagar, Illinois Central station agent here and one of our most active business men, received painful injuries by falling off a load of hay. He is convalescent.

OTHER ACCIDENTS.

BLEW OUT AN EYE.—A giant firecracker exploded near the head of a team of horses at Sausalito, Calif., and blew out the eye of one of the animals.

BURNED TO DEATH IN BED.—Mrs. Alice Ainsworth, an invalid, of Eudora, Tex., was burned to death in her bed, having caught fire while she was sleeping yesterday.

SKULL FRACTURED.—A heavy pole which had been used to support a balloon while inflating, at Marion, Mo., yesterday, fell to the ground and struck William Shinoda on the head, fracturing his skull.

DID NOT LIKE HER STYLE.

A Cairo Colored Woman Beaten in the Eighth Street Yard.

The denizens of the well-known negro quarter known as the Eighth Street Yard have been greatly agitated lately over the uncouth manners of a lady of color named Annie Stevenson, who came from Cairo recently, and engaged apartments in the yard. Last evening Miss Martha Chambers imbibed a quantity of Clabber Alley rot-gut and announced her intention of "going up" the Eighth Street Yard. McGuire and Martin Durkin were in a saloon on Prairie and Florissant avenues, when Virden entered. The officer was in full uniform and also intoxicated. He invited McGuire and Martin Durkin to have a drink with him, but they did so. After imbibing, Virden, it is said, whipped out his "bully" and struck McGuire on the head, stunning him badly. McGuire walked out of the saloon and followed him. McGuire then followed him down and while on the ground Virden hit his finger. The officer then grabbed his gun, which McGuire was holding in his hand, and said he kicked him in the head and face. McGuire was in a half-dazed condition when Virden placed him in arrest. On the way to the station the officer got an idea that McGuire had been drinking and found this to be true and forced McGuire to throw his purse containing two weeks' salary. The money was afterward found and returned to him.

A disgraceful scene occurred at the station and it is said Officer Fruchte, who is in charge of the station, was compelled to let Virden until he had pacified McGuire a second time, and when separated placed upon him also. Yesterday Virden was dismissed from the police force on the charge of maiming a citizen.

VISIBLE GRAIN SUPPLY.

NEW YORK, July 6.—The statement of the visible grain in store and about on Saturday July 1, as compiled at the New York Produce Exchange, is as follows:

Wheat, 52,917,000 bu; decrease, 765,000 bu.; Corn, 8,076,000; increase, 761,000 bu. Oats, 5,369,000; increase, 240,000 bu.; Barley, 282,000; decrease, 16,000 bu.; Barley, 40,000; decrease, 4,000.

Another Big Shirt Sale.

You can buy genuine imported Madras, Oxford and lawn puff shirts at Boyd's for \$1.25 and \$1.50 goods. They bought them at 50 cents on the dollar.

CUT BY AN UNKNOWN.—Andy Bush, colored, was cut in the back by an unknown negro with a sharp knife. The cut was so deep that it will take to speedily increase the dryness and salinity of the atmosphere, and rheumatism, if it does not entirely become a memory of the past, will be largely alleviated.

## Slaughter of Silks.

Main Floor.

29c PER YARD for choice of hundreds of patterns Printed China, damask, striped, damask, striped, etc. Exquisitely figured; also Cream Habutai, striped Grenadines, all colored Silks, etc. Sold everywhere at 50c.

## REMNANTS.

Main Floor.

Two tables loaded with Remnants, ranging from 2 to 10 yards each.

8c

Per Yard—Choice Remnants of wool Challis, in solid colors. Satin striped and solid. 1/2-inch border. Ginghams, Mulls and dotted Swiss, worth up to 50c.

12 1/2c

Per Yard—Choice French Sateens, in solid and striped. 1/2-inch border. Ginghams, Mulls and dotted Swiss, worth up to 50c.

Hurry! Hurry!

If you want some of those sample Remnants, we have them. We have only about 1,000 feet, which we will close out to-morrow at

Only 8c Each.

Remember these goods are worth up to \$2.25 per yard and range from 1/2 to 1/2.

## BASEMENT.

The entire stock of Remnants in this department cut down to half price, and in some instances less than half.

5c

Per Yard—All our Standard Prints, Lawns, Chiffons, Ginghams, bleached and unbleached Muslin and lots of other desirable goods worth up to 12 1/2c per yard.

7 1/2c

Per Yard—All our Flannelettes, Pongees, Sateens, best quality Ginghams and lots of other desirable wash goods, worth up to 15c per yard.

Well-Made 3-Piece 35c Garde Sets, 24-inch handles, Friday, per set,

Copper Bottom Wash Boilers, No. 7, worth \$1.25, Friday only

15c

14-quart Pieced Dish Pans, Worth 15c, Friday only

7c

Mason's 1-quart Fruit Jars, Friday only, each,

6c

Tin Top Jelly Glasses, Each, Friday only

2c

WASH GOODS BARGAINS.

Main Floor.

PER YARD—One entire table loaded with fine Printed St. Gall Swiss, India Silk-finished Mulls, 32 in. wide. Grenadines in high colors, and other desirable Wash Goods, worth up to 25c yard.

10c

PER YARD—An eye.

Old Remover, 1/2-inch border, 10c.





## HE HANGS TO-NIGHT

Frank Van Loon, the Ohio Murderer and Bank Robber.

THE DARING CRIME OF TWO YEARS AGO  
AT COLUMBUS GROVE.

He Killed Farmer Vandemark and Shot Three Bullets Into Cashier Maple—Captured and Identified After a Long Chase—The Pardon Board Refuses to Save Him.

COLUMBUS, O., July 6.—Between midnight and 1 o'clock to-morrow morning Frank Van Loon, the Columbus Grove bank robber and murderer of farmer Vandemark, will die on the gallows. By the provisions of a recent legislative amendment all executions in this State must take place in a room especially prepared for the purpose within the walls of the penitentiary and during the hours mentioned. Van Loon's case was presented early this week to the Board of Pardons, who after hearing all the evidence, decided not to interfere with the mandate of the court. When on Wednesday morning Warden James informed Van Loon that the Pardon Board had refused to interfere with the death penalty, and that he must hang early next morning, Van Loon's case was presented early this week to the Board of Pardons, who after hearing all the evidence, decided not to interfere with the mandate of the court. When on Wednesday morning Warden James informed Van Loon that the Pardon Board had refused to interfere with the death penalty, and that he must hang early next morning.



Frank Van Loon.  
[The Murderer and Bank Robber Who Is to Be Hanged To-Night.]

Friday morning, the condemned murderer broke down and wept bitterly. It was a complete surprise to him, for he had been full of hope. He said: "I don't see how the board could arrive at any such a decision in view of the evidence presented to it. It is something I cannot understand. His voice then choked up with emotion. The scene was a pathetic one. His only hope now is with the Governor, who has the power to grant him a respite. Van Loon's deed was the most daring robbery, followed by murder, that ever took place in the State. The robbery was an imitation of the Jesse James and Dalton methods. Van Loon dropped down in the quiet village of Columbus Grove on the afternoon of Aug. 8, 1891, and went direct to a hardware store located next door to the Columbus Grove Bank.

He ordered the hardware dealer to show him some revolvers, purchased one and had every chamber loaded, and then started to walk out without paying for it. He was called upon to settle and replied by covering the hardware man with the revolver. This settled the argument and Van Loon dashed out the door and into the bank. He ordered the cashier, T. W. Maple, to hand out all the money the bank contained. Maple refused and Van Loon began shooting. Maple retreated to a place of safety, and just then Farmer William Vandemark entered to make a deposit. Seeing what was going on he turned and fled. Van Loon whirled around and shot the old farmer as he was fleeing down the steps. The desperado then grabbed \$1,208 in cash and fled into a cornfield near the town. Two of the bandit's bullets struck Cashier Maple, but his wounds were not serious. Vandemark lived only a few hours after he was shot. The hunt for the bandit was vigorous, the whole countryside joining in the chase, but he eluded his pursuers. His capture did not follow until some months later, and it was believed for a time that the perpetrator of the crime would never be known.

Mr. B. Martin, a private detective of Galena, O., finally arrested Van Loon, and succeeded in establishing his guilt.

Cashier Maple has told this story of the robbery and murder: "Two men were in the bank, myself and A. C. Syfort, at my wicket renewing notes. A boyish-looking fellow, with smooth face and dark brown coat and pants, with dark hair in cap, came in. He walked up to my wicket and said, 'I want my revolver,' said: 'I want your money.' I thought it was one of the town boys making sport because of so much show of firearms, and made a reply of some kind in that line, whereupon he turned and shot me. He then saw me the wound in the side, the second one in my arm and the third shot missed me. I then grabbed my revolver, which only had one load in it, and fired. I shot too high, however, and missed my man. He started out and ran down the street. Just as he shot once at him, once up a stairway in the hall where nobody was, once at a man driving by in a wagon, and then started back into the bank.

"I was by this time standing by the cellar-way. I had him at bay with my drawn revolver, and he came out of the counter when he blazed away twice, making eight shots fired in all. I dodged into the cellar-way for protection and with the door partly open as a safety valve, I ran down the stairs and take all the money laying there he could reach, amounting, as near as I can guess, to \$1,200, and started to run. He then shot and missed me." As he left the bank he drove off in the street to cover shooting: "I'm another Jesse James," and brandishing his weapon.

Things to Remember.

From the Ram's Horn.  
There is no excuse for making crooked paths. God expects his people to walk straight.

Our sin is the devil's work, but our peace is God's work.

None but God has ever been good enough to make fast and say: "Whosoever will may come."

The man who tries to become a Christian while he still has habits in him is as foolish as the one who scatters seed in a briar patch.

The misfortunes of a sinner do not come from God. He brings them upon himself.

God uses the man who is trying to improve his talents.

We can't see in any other direction but looking up.

It is better to have God for our deliverer than not have anything from which to need deliverance.

Keep right with God, and midnight will be bright as noon.

God wants every man to live his sermon before he gets into the pulpit to preach it.

There ought to be more people getting religion than those who live in the same house with them would know it.

The sinner may refuse to go to church, but he can't avoid the consequences of what he is doing on an honest day's work at the next bench in the shop where he works.

The devil has never been able to stir up persecution enough to do any real hurt to the church.

# BRANDT'S MIDSUMMER CLEARING SALE!

## SECOND WEEK!

The Greatest Sacrifice Sale Ever Known in the Shoe Business.

### FINE SHOES AT LESS THAN MANUFACTURERS' COST!

Weather Getting Warm. Come in Before You Melt.

Look  
Here!

At the Following Prices:

Ladies' Departm't

187 pairs Dongola Patent Tip Oxfords at \$1.50, reduced to only	<b>98c</b>
163 pairs Tan Goat-tip Oxfords at \$1.65, reduced to only	<b>\$1.19</b>

Bargains

IN Fine  
Footwear.

316 pair Ladies' Dongola Cloth-top Oxfords, patent leather tip, all sizes, in AA, A and B widths, at \$3, reduced to	<b>\$2.15</b>
146 pair fine Dongola Oxfords, pl. op. toe, at \$3, reduced to	<b>\$2.00</b>
43 pair fine Dongola Cloth-top Edison, A and B widths, at \$3.50, reduced to	<b>\$2.48</b>

814 pair Tan Goat Oxfords, hand-turns, at \$1.75, reduced to only	<b>\$1.27</b>
620 pair fine Dongola Square Toe Oxfords, hand-turns, at \$2, reduced to	<b>\$1.50</b>
184 pair patent leather vamp Oxfords, all sizes, at \$3, reduced to	<b>\$2.23</b>

### Misses' and Children's Department

84 pair Misses' Black Ooze, one strap, spring heel, sizes 11 to 2, at \$1.75, reduced to	<b>\$1.25</b>
120 pair Child's Black Ooze, one strap, spring heel, sizes 8 to 10 $\frac{1}{2}$ , at \$1.50, reduced to	<b>.95</b>
33 pair Child's Black Ooze, one strap, spring heel, sizes 5 to 8, at \$1.25, reduced to	<b>.85</b>
81 pair Misses' Dongola Oxfords, A, B and C, at \$1.35, reduced to	<b>.98</b>

OTHER BARGAINS TOO NUMEROUS TO MENTION.

### Men's Department.

214 pair Men's Dongola, patent leather quarter, regular \$4 reduced to	<b>\$3.00</b>
183 pair Men's French Calf patent leather Plug Oxfords at \$4, reduced to	<b>\$3.00</b>
434 pair assortd narrow widths of Stacey, Adams & Co.'s and A. E. Nettleton & Co.'s fine Shoes, small sizes, at \$6 and \$6.50, reduced to	<b>\$4.50</b>

J. G. BRANDT SHOE CO., Cr. Broadway and Lucas Av.

Open Until 10 O'Clock Saturday Night.

EAST ST. LOUIS.

Civil Service Commission Ready for Business—East Side News.

The local Civil Service Commission, recently established, is ready to begin the examination of applicants for employment in the postal service. Miss Mildred Adams, Secretary of the Commission, will furnish application blanks and information concerning examinations.

J. P. Parnell, employed as a feed truck driver at the National Stock Yards, ran against his truck yesterday and sustained a fracture of the cap of his right knee. He was removed to his home, 720 North Ninth Street.

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A. B. Gillis, residing on Collingswood avenue, was severely hurt yesterday evening by the collapse of a scaffold which he was working on.

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## QUIET OF SUMMER.

It Pervades the World of Society and Fashion.

THE FOURTH OF JULY WAS SPENT IN QUIETNESS.

Mr. and Mrs. William Goldstein of Washington Avenue Celebrate Their Silver Wedding Anniversary — Where St. Louis People Are Spending the Heated Term — in the Domain of Society.

The Fourth of July, for once, was an ideal day, neither too hot nor too cold. The shower at noon did not last long enough to spoil the out door merrymaking, and the heavy rainfall at night came just in the nick of time to put a stop to the fireworks just when everybody had had enough of them.

Picnic and country parties were numerous, the girls looking charming in their stylish gingham and muslin gowns and picturesques hats, while the young men made themselves useful carrying the hamper and cooler, well filled with delicious viands. A large coach, drawn by four horses, gathered up a gay party on Washington and Delmar avenues. Another large party went out to Croce Cour Lake, and Forest Park was dotted with picnic parties.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Goldstein of 400 Washington avenue gave a very handsome reception last evening in honor of their silver wedding anniversary. Their handsome home was brilliantly lighted and the reception hall and parlors were filled with the fragrance of roses, which formed the chief decorations. Mr. and Mrs. Goldstein were assisted in receiving their guests by Mr. and Mrs. Robert Goldstein, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wolff and Miss M. Harding. Mrs. Goldstein, the hostess, wore a handsome gown of silver gray corded silk, made with a train and a V. neck of the same fabric, bordered with a delicate pink ribbon, fastened with a spray of alstroemerias in her beautiful white hair, which contrasted prettily with her still youthful face; she wore a diamond ornament.

Mrs. Wolff was a pretty reception toilet of dark silk with a blue flower, the waist made with a lace-covered robe of blue silk.

Mrs. Robert Goldstein wore a gown of changeable silk, bordered with pink lace, and her ornaments were diamonds.

Mrs. Goldstein was a prettyown of white dotted gauze with a wide ruff around the same in the form of a square. The lace, however, and the other trimmings were of blue.

Mr. and Mrs. Goldstein were the recipients of many presents, including solid silver.

A handsome supper was served during the evening and cards and games of stationery in the upper hall covered the music.

Among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Glaser, Mr. and Mrs. A. Tyre, Mr. and Mrs. A. Rosenthal, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Loeffelholz, Mr. and Mrs. George Farnon, Mr. Jacob Faith and Mr. Nathan Waldstein.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. B. H. Bierman, of New Orleans, were visiting their daughter, Mrs. James Hurley, 212 North Ninth street.

Miss Ethel Edmunds has been visiting her brother, Judge Henry L. Edwards. She has been spending the winter in Tucson, Ariz.

Miss Ethel Edmunds, after a visit to St. Louis friends, has returned to their home in Tucson.

Mr. and Mrs. George Farnon, who spent last week with Mrs. Louis Bierman, left a few days ago for the World's Fair.

Mr. Gilpin of Denver, Colo., has been visiting his sister, Mrs. Celeste Tracy.

Miss Ethel Edmunds has been visiting her cousin, Miss Leila Burke, who has gone to the World's Fair before returning to her home in Texas.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Parkes of Marshall, Tex., who have been visiting Mrs. J. H. Parker, of San Antonio, have just returned from a short visit to the Lakes, and are now in Chicago visiting the Fair.

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## LODGE NOTICES.

**MONITOR LODGE**, No. 62, K. of P. Meeting to-night, Hotel K. of P. 6th and Chestnut. All Knights fraternal invited. **FRED J. KOCH**, C. of F. P. JEWETT, K. R. S., 33.

**CASTLE HALL**, of Chevalier Lodge, No. 22, K. of P. Regular meeting of the Knights of Labor, 10th and Chestnut, northwest corner 4th and Locust. Work in rank of Knight. All visiting Knights fraternal invited. **John G. TAILMAN**, C. C. LOUIS W. BORGREN, K. R. S., 33.

**WASHINGON LODGE**, No. 24, 18th and Chestnut. Installation of officers, Friday, July 7. Members will be present, meeting at 8 P. M. **W. H. RAUCK**, C. of F. W. M. HENRICKSEN, 32.

**MISSOURI LODGE**, No. 11, 1. O. D. Officers & a members are requested to attend next regular meeting. Installation of officers and initiation will take place. **CHARLES A. HIRCHORN**, N. G. RUDOLPH BIRCHER, Recording Secretary, 33.

## SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE.

**Clerks and Salesmen.**  
WANTED—Situation as collector. First-class city references; experience. Address D. H. this office. 37.

WANTED—Position by young man, temperate, as an apprentice or helper in office or collecting, who have had experience in either line; good references. Add. D. H. this office. 37.

## The Trades.

WANTED—Situation for a good fireman or assistant engineer. Address H. 4, this office. 48.

WANTED—Situation as assistant engineer or fireman; heat of reference. **Charles A. Yerow**, 2711 Chestnut. 48.

## Miscellaneous.

WANTED—Two sober and industrious men, not afraid of work, would like position in wholesale or retail business. **John G. TAILMAN**, 43.

WANTED—Late English army, desires 35th, any capacity; groom preferred. **Charles, 1125 Locust**, city 48.

WANTED—An experienced, very stable man, with steady habits and good references, wants situation. **Address H. 4**, this office. 48.

WANTED—Men's \$2.50 tan, black or tan shoes, cut \$1.00. **W. H. RAUCK**, C. of F. 4th and Chestnut, southwest corner 4th and Franklin. 48.

## HELP WANTED—MALE.

**Book-Keepers.**  
WANTED—Housekeeper by middle-aged German woman as housekeeper or cook. 2200 Olive.

WANTED—Lone widow wishes to be housekeeper for middle-aged widow. **Call 105 S. 10th**. 48.

## SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE.

## Clerks and Saleswomen.

WANTED—Very intelligent young woman, a good business woman, to act as stenographer and experience as a typewriter. Add. H. 464, this office. 48.

## Dressmakers and Seamstresses.

WANTED—Work in families by first-class cutter and fitter. **2712 Lucas**, 48.

WANTED—1st-class dressmaker, with competent knowledge of all engagements in general families. Add. H. 4, this office. 48.

WANTED—By dressmaker who can make stylish perfect fitting dresses few more emergencies; a few days. **Call 1106 Garrison**, 4th and Chestnut. 48.

WANTED—Three young ladies who have had experience working with first-class dressmakers, desire to find work with dressmakers the day after the day of sewing. **Call 2602 Morgan**, 4th and Chestnut. 48.

## Lundresses.

WANTED—To go out washing by the day. **3020 Manchester**, 48.

WANTED—Washing to take home or go out by the day. **4317 St. Ferdinand**, 4th and Chestnut. 48.

WANTED—A maid, housekeeper, gentlewoman, good washer to take home good ref. Add. K. 5, this office. 48.

WANTED—Woman's \$1.50 and \$2 tan and black, with white stripes. **W. H. RAUCK**, C. of F. sharp. **At Odd Fellows' Hall**, 6th and Olive. 48.

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## Teachers, Companions, Etc.

WANTED—Young woman wants position as companion or writing in office. **Address E. 4**, this office. 48.

WANTED—A maid, housekeeper or cook. **Call 105 S. 10th**. 48.

## General Housework.

WANTED—Situation to do housework. **1521 N. 14th**. 48.

WANTED—Woman with child 8 years old wants position as housekeeper or cook. **Address 1503 Belmont**. 48.

## STOVE REPAIRS.

Castings and repairs for stoves and ranges of every description. **A. G. Brauer**, 219 Locust. 48.

## GOOD MORNING.

Try our Mocha and Java Coffee, 3 lbs for \$1. Coffee can goes with it. **Reliance Tea Co.**, 615 Franklin av. 48.

## Nurses.

WANTED—Competent nurse would like situation as nurse for baby or small children with family going away for the summer. **Ad. M. 2**, this office. 50.

## WANTED—Partners.

WANTED—Partner, either sex; \$100 per month; \$50 required; reference furnished. **Address X. 3**, this office. 50.

## BOARD AND LODGING WANTED.

WANTED—Parties wishing rooms and board or rooms for housekeeping will send their address or call on **E. H. Baker**, 2702 Lucas av., a list of desirable places will be furnished free of charge; no roomers will be furnished. **Call 105 S. 10th**. 50.

WANTED—A maid, housekeeper, gentlewoman, wants position as housekeeper or cook. **Call 105 S. 10th**. 50.

## Dressmakers and Seamstresses.

WANTED—First-class waist and skirt hands. **2845 Franklin**, 48.

WANTED—A young German girl for general housework; small family. **2845 Franklin**, 48.

WANTED—A maid to operate steam-power sewing machine. **Call quick, 2205 Chestnut**, Granite Mfg. Co. 48.

## General Housework.

WANTED—A good grocery clerk; German preferred. **1929 St. Fallon**, 48.

WANTED—\$3 tax men's shoes cut to \$2 C. E. Hills Shoe Co., 6th and Chestnut. 48.

WANTED—Experienced retail man's furnishing goods; salesmen. **Apply at 520 Washington**. 48.

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WASHINGTON, D. C., July 6.—Conjectures and predictions as to the outcome of the silver question when the extra session of Congress convenes on the 7th of August form the staple topic of discussion in all quarters at the national capital. The question of the length of the extra session is hard to answer. The silver men threaten a vigorous fight against repeal until the President shows his hand with regard to a substitute for the Sherman act, while the antis are determined that no other legislation shall be considered until the final question has been settled. It is becoming apparent, therefore, that a protracted struggle is inevitable, which may prolong the extra session until the regular session begins.

If the silver men would consent to a repeal of the silver-purchasing clause of the Sherman act, the understanding that at a time to be named during the regular session the future status of silver as money shall be fixed, the extra session could easily terminate by Sept. 1. Following the passage of the repeal resolution, the only other business necessary to be done would be the authorization of the Ways and Means Committee to sit during the recess and prepare a tariff bill to be reported at the regular session. It is suggested that the Colgate Committee might be authorized to sit during the recess preparing financial legislation. The sentiment of the country could be sounded during the recess, the effect of the repeal of the Sherman act could be noted, and in the three recess months the committee could reach a conclusion worthy of the attention of Congress. It is not likely this proposition will be urged upon the silver men. They declare that they care nothing for the Sherman act, that they will vote for its repeal if an adequate substitute to law is not made to take its place. The silver men would have a representative on the Colgate Committee, and the interests of silver would be carefully protected. If the proposition is rejected then a continuous session of Congress—the extra session in the regular—will almost certainly follow.

AN INFORMAL TALK.

New York, July 6.—Congressman Crisp of Georgia, McMillin of Tennessee, Clark of Missouri and Fellows of New York were together for two or three hours at the Hoffman house yesterday. Col. Phil Thompson of Kentucky joined the party and all hands discussed politics informally. They said their talk was wholly informal and they are not attempting to outdo any body else. It was a quiet, friendly session. Another division of Congress meets Mr. McMillin said Mr. Crisp would undoubtedly be chosen speaker.

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nothing, but to await developments. The London representative of J. S. Morgan &amp; Co. said:

I, for one, am inclined to think that the present scared attitude of the public is not warranted by the facts as they stand. I do not know, but until it is seen how the natives of India are going to regard the Government, we may not be able to hear the gold, the fact that there is a balance of \$10,000,000 or \$12,000,000 in the vaults. If I am not to affect our money market, I am inclined to think that the inaction of the Hindoo, that is the only means of exchange for many centuries, may render the situation really hopeless. If I am not very wrong in my forecast, in a short time matters will affect our money market and trade will now be as unprofitable as ever.

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W. M. Gibson, President of the Goldsmiths and Silversmiths' Company, one of the largest users of silver in the arts, said:

I own to feeling that there is a little more waste of silver than there is of any other metal. I am convinced that the public are not fully aware of the fact that it is a market at a price much lower than ever touched before in the history of the world, probably because we and other large users of silver would guarantee the price per ounce and the price per ounce of silver is the only way of getting the price per ounce of silver.

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**CLEVELAND'S LUCK.**

Arrives Home Just in Time to Escape a Violent Storm.

BUZZARD'S BAY, July 6.—President Cleveland reached Gray Gables at 9:30 p. m., last night, a few minutes before the beginning of the most violent thunder, hail and wind storm that has swept over Buzzard's Bay for years. At dusk the yacht Oneida, which left New York last Friday night with President Cleveland on board, had not been sighted from Gray Gables. From Monument Beach, a mile further down the bay a small steamer could be seen moving toward the larger bay, and the velocity of the wind increased and fishermen said a heavy storm was gathering. A half hour later two lights from a steamer's mast were seen a mile off Gray Gables. Before the storm began a small steam launch left the steamer and went ashore. Afterward President Cleveland stepped on the wharf at Gray Gables and hurried into his house. He was met on the veranda by a Cleveland man and an unusual gale was blowing. Scarcely had the President entered the house when the storm broke with fury. The first lightning stroke was over the Buzzard's Bay station, again on the railway bridge and the third time it splintered a tree in Mr. Cleveland's yard. The lightning was so intense that it could be seen for half a mile. The steam launch had come in and then had stones as large as pebbles pelted each other through the air. Then the ball clattered to the rail, which continued to roar with a fierce might. Had the Oneida been an hour later, it is probable the steam launch could not have reached the wharf. At 11:30 the lightning had subsided and it was learned that the President was in good health and had greatly enjoyed his fishing excursion.

Through error in copy of the *Globe* Show and Clothing Co.'s proof, they were advertised as having kept open until 10:30 last evening, which was erroneous, as said first closes at 6:30 p. m., except Saturday.

**JULIA MARLOWE'S MARRIAGE.**

It is generally believed she and Robert Taber are husband and wife.

NEW YORK, July 6.—It was rumored in theatrical circles last night that Julia Marlowe had married her leading man, Mr. Robert Taber. Both sailed from New York on the City of Chester June 22. It will be recalled that the ship was obliged to put back to port because of an accident. She finally went her way two days later. A passenger on the City of Chester whose veracity goes in my instance is the authority. He states that the ship had gotten away from Sandy Hook before the passengers suspected the couple of being married. The theory was accepted as a long time ago. The ship reached New York June 25, having been known that Miss Marlowe looked with favor upon Mr. Taber and this story of marriage is generally believed.

**The World's Fair Will Be Closed**

At 10 o'clock every night, enabling guests of the Park-Gate Hotel, Sixty-third street and Stony Island avenue, Chicago, to remain until late hour and avoid the discomfort of a long trip to the city in a crowded car. Hotel opposite main entrance to grounds. European and American plan. Absolutely fireproof. Rates \$1.50 per day and upwards. Write at once for plans. All outside rooms, single or double.

**ENJOY THE BOOKS.**

Complimentary Letters Concerning Those Given Away by the Post Dispatch.

Under the new arrangement parties who have seven different numbered Post Dispatch coupons by sending them and 6 cents in postage stamps to the Post-Dispatch Book Department, 142 Worth street, New York, can have mailed them any of the books mentioned in the publication list. People in the city can send the books at the Post-Dispatch or over the counter by presenting a differently numbered coupon and 5 cents in cash.

The books are very popular, and many letters concerning them are received at the office, of which the following is a fair sample.

**Books & Clothing and Dry Goods.**

NASHVILLE, ILL., June 26, 1892.

To the Post-Dispatch:

Through the medium of your Coupon Department I have received eight (8) books from your New York office, and I am very much pleased with them. Of the same strain as this one, I deemed it no more than proper to say my few words of thanks and appreciation to the management of your office for their courtesy to please are not wasted. To say that I am delighted with the books is a mere understatement. They have greatly pleased me and have been a great source of pleasure to me. You have placed good reading matter within the reach of everyone. People who enjoy reading will be greatly pleased with these books, and fail to avail themselves of this golden opportunity, are surely lacking their proper opportunity of gray matter. Yours respectfully,

E. A. BACH.

World's Fair Travel—River Route.

The St. Louis, Naples & Peoria Packet Co. are taking passengers on the World's Fair \$12 for the round trip, including meals and berth. Excursion to Peoria and return \$6, including meals and berth.

**FOUND HER WITH ANOTHER.**

A Colored Concert Hall Actor Beasts His Wife.

Gordon Collins, a colored actor, was up before Judge Paxson this morning for discrediting the optical cavities of his sweetheart, Clara Wright. Last evening when Collins returned to his home, after having concluded his "turn" at a concert hall, he learned that Clara had gone with a swell porter from New York to a resort 70 miles North Twelfth street. Gordon followed him to the hotel, and confronting the gentleman from New York he proceeded to chastise his recreant inamorata. That is, he was in no other way to explain it, he sought an officer and had himself locked up. He was fined \$5.

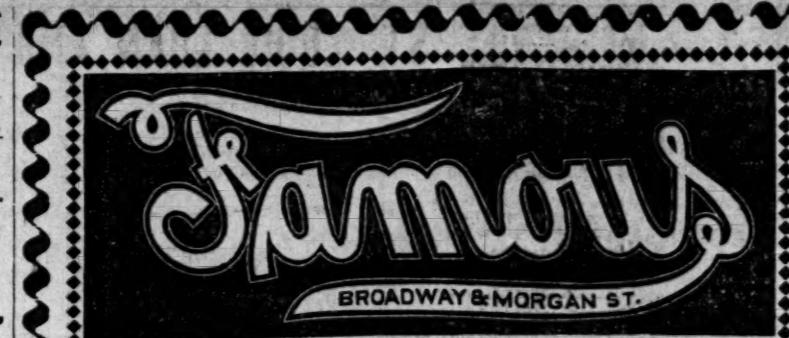
**BEAT UP AN INFORMER.**

Yesterday afternoon two negroes had a dispute at Eleventh and Morgan streets, and in the fight that ensued three shots were fired. When the police arrived the smoke and fighters had cleared away. Frank Turner, colored, informed the officers of the direction taken by the man who did the shooting. John Turner is the son of the negro who had Turner's action so enraged him that he knocked him down. He was arrested, and this morning Judge Paxson fined him \$5.

**THE WILL CAREFULLY READ.**

World's Fair the Bargain "ads" in to-day's (Tuesday) *Post-Dispatch*.

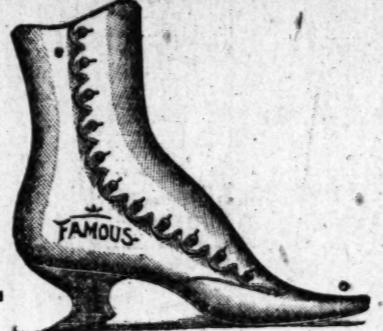
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**Boys' Tan Shoes.**

Boys' Tan Bluchers, high cut, five styles, sizes 2 to 6, \$1.50  
Boys' Tan Low Oxfords and Bluchers, five styles, sizes 2 to 6, \$1.50  
Youths' High Tan Bluchers and Lace, five styles, sizes 11 to 2, \$1.25  
Youths' Low Tan Oxfords, two styles, sizes 11 to 2, \$1.25

**Men's Tan Shoes.**

Any Men's \$5 Tan Shoe in the house at \$2.50  
Any Men's \$3.50 Tan Shoe in the house at \$2.00  
FIFTY STYLES. WILL YOU COME?

**INNOCENT MAN HANGED.**

It Transpires That Andy Hedgepeth Was Not Guilty of Murder.

WEST PLAINS, Mo., July 6.—Several months ago Andy Hedgepeth was hanged in Boone county, Ark., for the alleged killing of George Watkins, Watkins' wife was a beautiful woman and Hedgepeth became infatuated with her. Watkins disappeared and Hedgepeth, being last in his company, was arrested, tried and convicted on circumstantial evidence. The case was taken to the Supreme Court of Arkansas and reversed, and a conviction followed the second trial. The woman was also freed. Late Hedgepeth's lawyers succeeded in locating Watkins, the supposed dead man. When he left his wife and Hedgepeth he returned to his old home in Kansas, where he has since lived and is in considerable esteem in Boone county.

There is usefulness and good looks in a fine head of hair. If yours is harsh, faded, gray or scaly, use PARKER'S HAIR BALM.

**NOT GUILTY OF KIDNAPPING.**

ATLANTA, Ga., July 6.—The Supreme Court has decided that E. C. Conklin, a gardener, who was with and assisted the 14-year-old daughter of his employer, W. S. Conklin of Fulton County, was not guilty of kidnapping. The Court says: "A female at 14 years of age, being as one is competent to contract marriage as one of 18 years or upward, and the validity of her marriage not depending in any degree upon the consent of her parents, she is not a kidnapping for a man, not himself under any disability, to lead, take or carry her away from her parents, against their will and without their consent, for the bona fide purpose of marrying her."

**MADISON CAR-WORKS MAY RESUME.**

The stockholders of the assigned Madison car works held a meeting yesterday afternoon in the Security Building. The meeting was held behind closed doors and lasted for over two hours. Those present refused to state what had been done further than to say the suspended work is favorable to a resumption of the work under the assignment who would ask the court to allow him to file contracts. Prof. Martin & Co., who owe the car works \$10,000, will probably be given more time on the notes which are now harassing the company.

**BEAT THE WORLD'S RENOWNED SOMMER.**

The Woman's Training School Board and the Woman's Christian Home Board met yesterday afternoon at 184 Washington avenue, completed arrangements for their excursion on the steamer. The grand next Saturday. The boat will leave the river at 6 o'clock p. m., and a programme has been prepared which surpasses all previous efforts of the ladies to entertain their guests.

**TRAINING SCHOOL EXCURSION.**

Howell County Institute, West Plains, Mo., July 6.—County Institutes are at present being held in the various counties of South Missouri. The Howell County Institute is in session at Willow teachers. It is one of the most successful ever held in the county.

**THE CONDEMNED CHOCTAWS.**

Their Execution Postponed to Aug. 7—Motion for Retrial.

WILBURTON, I. T., July 6.—The question as to what action Gov. Jones would take in the matter of commuting the sentence of the Choctaw Indians now awaiting execution here has caused considerable interest in the last few days. The Interior Department at Washington sent a message to Gov. Jones asking if the Chief Magistrate of the Choctaws had authority to commute the sentence. Gov. Jones did not reply to the communication, but postponed the execution of the condemned Indians until Aug. 7, giving a motion for a rehearing of the case. It is generally conceded that if Gov. Jones should fully submit the demands of the general government, he would commute the sentence. The Choctaws, however, are political prisoners and not really murderers, such action would go far in allaying the bad blood engendered during the Choctaw campaign. Special Inspector Sheldon of the Indian Service has been summoned to supersede Special Agent representative of the United States Government in the matter of the seven condemned men. He can only be summoned by the Secretary of the Interior, who has the authority to call out troops to prevent the execution. Secretary Smith is determined to prevent the execution. Col. Frank G. Johnson, Texas, testifying at the instance of Secretary Smith, to come here and issue orders to the Choctaw Nation, not to let the seven men condemned to be shot to a motion for a rehearing of the case. It is generally conceded that if Gov. Jones should fully submit the demands of the general government, he would commute the sentence. The Choctaws, however, are political prisoners and not really murderers, such action would go far in allaying the bad blood engendered during the Choctaw campaign.

THE FRAUD SUSPECTED.

Outcome of the Recent Fire in the New Orleans Mint.

NEW ORLEANS, La., July 6.—The Treasury Department suspect fraud in connection with the recent fire in the cashier's vault in the mint. The vault was closed and the door had been sent to be investigated. When the vault was opened a week ago last Monday it was found that an electric light wire had been broken, an oil lamp exploded, and broken glass from the broken lamp ignited, and consumed three packages of paper money.

Cashed Dowling claims that the packages of money were not in the vault when he came to the mint, and that the damage to be a suspicion that bills of smaller denomination may have been burned and their value exaggerated.

OKLAHOMA DIVORCE LAWS.

A prominent attorney of Kingfisher, Okla., has written to a St. Louis confessor a letter on the divorce laws of the new Territory, about which there has been considerable inquiry. Divorce may be obtained in Oklahoma, according to the new statutes which have just taken effect, if either of the parties has been separated from the other for a period of one year; for infidelity to the marriage partner; for extreme cruelty; for fraud committed for habitual drunkenness; for gross neglect of duty; for conviction of a felony and confinement in the state penitentiary; for desertion to the wife; for desertion to the husband; for the wife to the husband.

The Probate Court of each county, and always in session, is a court of record and has exclusive jurisdiction in all cases, including actions for divorce. The statute requires only three months residence in the Territory next preceding the commencement of an action for divorce.

ALLEGED INDORSE.

The German Arbitrator at its semi-monthly meeting last night endorsed the action of Gov. Atkinson in pardoning the Anarchists.

Local Union No. 4, Brewery Workmen, at its night meeting endorse Gov. Atkinson's action in pardoning the Chicago Anarchists.

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100 Dress Lengths, 7 yards to pattern, 26-inch All Wool Novelty striped Sutlings, worth \$20.00 a Dress Pattern.

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150 Dress Lengths, 7 yards to pattern, 26-inch and 40-inch All Wool Fancy Striped and Mixed Sutlings, worth \$20.

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Your Choice at \$2.75

A DRESS PATTERN.

50 Dress Lengths, 7 yards to pattern, All Wool French Checks and Plaids, worth \$7.00.

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

Your Choice at \$5.00

A DRESS PATTERN.

15 Dress Lengths, 7 yards to pattern, High Glass Novelty Sutlings, worth \$15.00.

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A DRESS PATTERN.

25 pcs. Imported Shears Rotts Parasol, Fine Cotton Dress Goods, worth 25c, at 12c.

40 pcs. Fancy Designers Brandenburg Sutling, former price 20c.

50 pcs. Imported Fancy Figured Sateens, former price 25c, at 12c.

100 pcs. Fancy Check and Plaid Dress Gingham, former price 20c, at 12c.

200 pcs. Double Fold Aron Checks, former price 12c, at 7c.

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